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(CACD)

This Executive Directive provides instruction to DCFS staff concerning keying information in

CHRIS when CACD is the primary investigator.

The DCFS Secondary Assigned Investigators on all CACD Primary Assigned Investigations must not enter any data in the CHRIS Investigation file. The only exception is the children's Health and Safety Response and Risk Assessment tabs that CACD Investigators are not allowed to complete.

The DCFS Secondary Assigned Investigator on CACD Primary Assigned Investigations is prohibited from completing the Investigation Closure screen and Request/Approve Closure.

Upon closure of the CACD Primary Assigned Investigation, the DCFS Supervisor of the DCFS Secondary Assigned Investigator continues to complete/approve the Investigation Case Connect screen and Transfer/Assign to Case assignment, if appropriate.

If the DCFS secondary worker becomes aware of new allegations during the investigation, they will provide this information to the primary CACD investigator, who will be responsible for including this information in the case."

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